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4 COUNTY TEAMS IN TOURNEY HERE

FEDS,

HOPKINS,

GUILFORD AND BURLINGTON JUNCTION TO MEET.

OFFER \$350 IN PRIZES

TO BE AUGUST 25-26-27

Base Ball Fans May See Two Games

Each of 3 Days at Normal Grounds

Strengthen Lineup.

The Maryville Federals, the Burlington Junction Boosters, and the fast base ball teams of Guilford and Hopkins will enter into a six-game baseball tournament at the Normal grounds here Wednesday, according to announcement of Cleve Funk, manager of the Feds, today. Two games will be played Wednesday, two Thursday and two Friday.

The first game will be started at 2 o'clock each afternoon. Season tickets are now being sold for the tournament. The prizes offered are the same as was given at the Hopkins tournament last week. The first will be \$125, second \$100, third \$75, fourth \$50, so that each team will get a prize.

William McCarty of Stanberry will

umpire the games. While the line-up for the Federal team will be changed somewhat from day to day, Manager Funk announced that it would be virtually the same as during the Hopkins tournament, except that another pitcher probably will be added.

Teams Are "Loading Up."

It is reported that Hopkins, Guilford and Burlington Junction are each "loading up" with the express purpose of keeping the Federals out of first place, which they took in the Hopkins tournament.

Lots will be drawn Wednesday to determine which teams shall play each other. On the second day the two winning teams will clash with each other, while the losing teams will play a game. On the final day the teams will meet the team it has not previously played in the tournament.

The Federals were scheduled to play

the Clarinda, Ia., team here yesterday afternoon, but on account of the Iowa team being unable to reach here by automobiles, the game was postponed. A fairly large crowd of fans had congregated at the Federal grounds when the announcement was made.

Stanberry will be visited by the Federals next Sunday, when they clash for the fourth time this season with the fast Red Sox. As matters now stand Stanberry has won one and the Federals two of the games, the last by the score of 9 to 0. A large crowd of boosters intend to accompany the team to Stanberry Sunday.

SPEAKS AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Mrs. Crisman McMillen Will Give

Nightly Lectures This Week—Ad-

dressed Crowds Yesterday.

Mrs. Crisman McMillen, a national temperance worker, who lectured yesterday morning and afternoon at the First Christian church, will give a series of lectures each night this week until and including Friday night, in the First Baptist church.

The lectures will begin at 8 o'clock

and no admission will be charged at any time. All of the lectures will be on temperance work and movements.

Mrs. McMillen is a very fluent and versatile speaker and her lectures yesterday were well attended and interestingly heard. Her subjects were "Obedience a Divine Command" and "Temperance from a Biblical Standpoint." They were both highly entertaining and profitable.

The usual midweek prayer service of Wednesday night at the First Christian church will be dismissed because of the lectures.

Mrs. J. W. Shelton, Mrs. Calvin Hinds of Kansas City, who are visiting relatives in Maryville and vicinity, are house guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shelton, living west of the city.

Base Ball Tournament

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

AUGUST 25, 26 AND 27

Normal Ball Park, Maryville, \$350 in Purse

Contesting Teams are: Hopkins, Guilford, Burlington Junction and Maryville.

TWO GAMES EACH AFTERNOON. BEGINNING AT 2 P. M.

Admission 35c

Grandstand 10c

Season Tickets \$1.00

FIGHT NOW NEAR MONTEREY

Villa Renews Hostilities Against Carranza—Fight is Fierce, It is Reported.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, August 23.—It is reported that Villa has renewed hostilities against Carranza. The fighting is reported to be fiercest near Monterey.

SINK A GERMAN DESTROYER

Two French Torpedo Boats Destroy Enemy's Ship While Patroling Near Ostend.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Paris, Aug. 23.—The Ministry Marine announces that two French torpedo boats while patrolling the Belgian coast near Ostend, encountered and sank a German destroyer. The French boats suffered slight damage.

ARABIC UNARMED; UNWARNED

Ship Which Went Down With 4 Americans Didn't Try Attack or Escape, British Report.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, August 23.—The foreign office announces that the Arabic, which was sunk by a submarine off the south coast of Ireland, causing the loss of four Americans, was not armed and was torpedoed without warning.

It made no effort to attack the submarine nor to escape.

Washington, August 23.—The president today made his first statement relative to the sinking of the Arabic with four Americans, in which he said: "As soon as the facts are ascertained our course of action will be determined."

Tumult, his private secretary, refused to add anything.

BOMB FIRES HOUSES; 7 HURT

Explosion Destroys Three Buildings in "Little Italy," Kansas City—Three May Die.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, August 23.—A dynamite bomb early this morning destroyed three frame houses in "Little Italy," near Sixth and Harrison streets. Seven occupants of the houses were injured, three seriously.

The force of the explosion was so great that debris was found a block away and window panes were broken three blocks distant. The damage is estimated at \$10,000.

As usual, the police have been unable to find any clues. It is believed that members of the "Black Hand" society did the deed.

AUTO TURNS OVER; 2 HURT

J. A. Cooper and Charles Collins of Parnell Badly Injured Saturday—Machine Goes Into Culvert.

John A. Cooper and Charles Collins of Parnell were both severely injured about 6 o'clock Saturday afternoon when the auto in which they were driving turned over in a culvert.

Mr. Cooper, who is the proprietor of the Cooper garage at Parnell, was pinned under the car and it was nearly half an hour before he was extricated. The shoulder cap of his left arm and one of the bones in his left wrist were broken and he was badly bruised.

Mr. Collins' left shoulder blade and one of the bones of his forearm and one rib on his left side were broken and he suffered other injuries.

The two men were returning from a farm north of Parnell, where they had been installing an engine on a binder. As they drove across the field their car stalled in a mudhole, the jolt breaking the radius rod. They pulled the car out of the mud and started for home, and made the drive all right until they attempted to turn out for an approaching team, and the car turned over into the culvert. Mr. Collins was thrown out of the car while his companion was pinned under it, with the weight resting on him.

Both men were feeling as well as could be expected today, and neither will suffer serious consequences from their injuries.

BOOSTERS PLAY TOMORROW

Maryville Team Will Meet St. Joseph All-Stars Here—Only Game of the Week.

The Maryville Boosters will play the St. Joseph All-Stars at the Normal grounds here tomorrow afternoon if the ground is in condition. It will be the only game of the week by the Boosters, the scheduled game for Thursday being postponed on account of the tournament to be held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday here.

The game tomorrow will be umpired by Emmett Scott. The game will start at 2 o'clock to allow the visiting team time to catch the southbound afternoon train home.

The Maryville team will probably line up as follows: Richardson, c; Palfreyman, ss; Scott, 3b; Moore, rf; Miller, 2b; Wray, 1b; Still, cf; Vandervloot, lf; Wakeman, p.

The St. Joseph lineup will be: Roudy, lf; Howard, cf; Blee, 2b; Watson, 3b; Jennings, ss; Bassing, 1b; Stewart, rf; Slater, c; Mansfield, p.

Dismiss Divorce Suit

The suit for divorce filed recently in circuit court by Elmer D. Huff against Grace Huff, has been dismissed by Mr. Huff in court vacation, according to Henry Westfall, clerk.

Take Over Smith Store

Elliott Brothers of Malvern, Ia., arrived in Maryville Saturday and today took over the store formerly operated by Levi Smith, Fifth and Main streets.

2 VOTE ON BONDS

MONROE AND NODAWAY TOWNSHIPS HOLD ELECTIONS TUESDAY.

WOULD IMPROVE ROADS

One Proposes \$35,000 Special Fund, and Other Seeks \$25,000—Flood Damage Necessitates Money.

The voters of Nodaway and Monroe townships will decide in special election tomorrow whether to issue special bonds for improving the road conditions of the two townships. The proposition in Nodaway township is for \$35,000, while in Monroe it is

The calls for elections were made recently by the county court on petition of a number of voters of those two townships. The real reason for proposing the extra bonds is because of the excessive damage done in the west end of Nodaway county by the heavy rains this summer, and through the fact that the proposition to vote \$300,000 in special bonds throughout Nodaway county fell through.

It is predicted that the proposition will carry in Nodaway township, but as it takes a two-thirds majority for such a proposition to become a reality, there are many who believe it cannot be done. It is admitted by virtually all voters in those two townships, however, that the money is needed.

These Will Officiate.

The election judges in Nodaway township will be William Guyette, Joseph Crawford, George Brown and James Corken. The clerks will be William Nicholas, C. E. Walker, Fred Griffey and William Fox.

The election judges in Monroe township were announced as follows: A. L. Oakerson, S. C. Barber and Frank Goslee. The clerks were announced as being A. C. Dodds and Ray Strickler.

HE RAPS FRANK LYNCHERS

The Rev. S. D. Harkness Condemns Brutal Act in South in "The Measure of a Soul."

The brutal and heinous act of the lynchers of Leo Frank in Georgia recently was dwelt upon to considerable extent by the Rev. S. D. Harkness in a sermon on "The Measure of a Soul," from the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church yesterday morning. It was in fact a sermon which, all the way through, brought out the current events of the times and their relation to his topic.

The war in Europe, the attitude of the United States towards it, the mob lynchings of the south, and the modern day idea of things were the topic sources of Mr. Harkness, who delivers his farewell sermon here next Sunday.

That the lynching of Frank is a stain on the whole south, and, for that matter, of the whole country, is the expressed belief of Mr. Harkness.

It was used to demonstrate how anger, pleasure, hate and conceit and other petty faults of a person act as gauges of one's inner self and soul.

THREE RAINS APPEAR IN DAY

Downpours Came Yesterday Morning, Afternoon and Last Night—Induced Reading.

Three separate and distinct rains in one day was the unusual feat performed by Jupiter Pluvius in Maryville yesterday. Altogether the precipitation was not so heavy as in many a single one this summer, but it aggregated .55 of an inch.

The first came up about 7:30 o'clock yesterday morning, after which it cleared away and the sun shone out until about 4 o'clock that afternoon, when rain No. 2 began blowing up from the west, pushing a nifty wind-storm along in front.

The skies again cleared about 7 o'clock and the moon came out, but late last night and early this morning the third downpour awakened Maryville residents. It was accompanied by an electrical storm.

The intermittent rains induced sleeping and reading, however, which has been considerably neglected by those who seek the open air whenever possible.

Flood Recedes; 3,000 Homeless.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

St. Louis, August 23.—The Merrimac river near here is swiftly receding. The reported drowning of more persons along it is unconfirmed, although 2,000 are homeless in Valley Park.

J. L. Griffith, formerly of Maryville,

has sold his photo studio at Stanberry. He and Mrs. Griffith will leave next week for Pine Ridge, S. D., where Mr. Griffith will teach in an Indian service school.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Keck returned this morning from a visit with Mr. Keck's brother, Lewis Keck, at Kenosha, Wis., and at Chicago.

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BERLIN DROPS MILITIA JOB

So Company F Will Hold Special Election Wednesday Night to Name First Lieutenant.

Another special election to select a first lieutenant for Company F, Fourth Regiment, National Guards of Missouri will be held at the armory at 8 o'clock Wednesday night, according to an announcement made today by Captain John K. Ross. Albert Berlin, who was elected to that office last week, has declined the position on account of being unable to attend the annual encampment at Kansas City next month.

The office ranks next to the cap-taincy of the company and furnishes excellent training in military. Ezra Phipps is being mentioned for the place, but on account of his being now connected with the Fourth Regiment band here, he can not accept the office until after encampment. He was once captain of the militia company here.

ASKPEACE; DECRY BIG GERMAN LOAN

ANNOUNCE CABINET AND POLITICAL LEADERS OPPOSE MORE DEBT

SAY PROPOSED FUND WOULD BANKRUPT LAND

Amsterdam Paper Reports Secret Conference Is Held to Offset Reichstag Move and Curb War Party.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Amsterdam, Aug. 23.—The Telegraph here prints a story of a secret conference of the German cabinet, political leaders and influential writers at Berlin, just before the Reichstag reassembled, at which the secretary and treasurer announced the new German war loan would exhaust the empire's financial resources.

Any increase in bonds would cause bankruptcy they announced, the Telegraph says, and urged that honorable peace be made, if possible. Chancellor Von Bethmann declared the empire's difficulties were increasing and recommended the curbing of the war party in Germany.

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Largest Circulation in Nodaway County

An enterprising citizen of Los Angeles has brought the usefulness of the automobile into new fields. He uses his auto to collect laundry for his wife to wash.

Owing to the inability of our manufacturers to get German dyestuffs our ladies will have to worry along this winter with furs principally of natural colors. There will not be many dyed skins on the market.

The names of Cory Cook and Arthur Robey are said to have appeared in a newspaper dated 1898. We have always suspected that they are older than they look, but were not prepared to believe they were carrying their age so well as that.

The industries of a nation can be turned quickly from peace to war and the manufacturers of munitions may be speeded up, but the allies have found, to their great embarrassment, that the civilian cannot be turned into a soldier without time. This is especially true of officers. To make a practical soldier officer is a matter of education and long training, just as a preparation for professional or business life is. In business men can educate themselves and stand only to lose their money or their prospects, but in war those who fall are not likely to rise again. Skilled officers may direct a body of untutored soldiers to victory, but a body of men, however brave they may be, in the hands of inefficient officers are inviting destruction.

HOW TO DRIVE A CAR—DAWSON.
"In driving an automobile, especially an Overland, put emergency brake on, then put her on "high" and try to climb the upgrades of the Maryville streets, at least that is the way I started."—Extract from "Advice to Amateur Chauffeurs," by John W. Dawson, attorney.

Spends Day at Arkoe.
Mrs. Nettie Warren spent yesterday at Arkoe visiting her mother, Mrs. Nancy Moore.

Daughter at Pyle Home.
Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Pyle are the parents of a daughter born to them Saturday, August 21.

Ice Cream Social

Myrtle Tree Church

And a play to be given by the Young People

Wednesday Night

Admission 25 and 15c

HAVE YOU ONE OF Engelmann's Ferns IN YOUR HOME?

We invite you to look over our large selection of Ferns in all sizes from 25c to \$2.00 each and call your special attention to the nice specimens at 50c, 60c and 75c each. Fresh cut flowers for any occasion in appropriate arrangements our leading specialty at all seasons of the year.

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THROWN FROM BUGGY; HURT

Mrs. Joseph Sobbing Badly Hurt When Team Runs Away—Husband Also Suffers Injuries.

Mrs. Joseph Sobbing, living south of Parnell, was badly hurt Saturday afternoon, when she was thrown from the buggy in which she was riding and it is feared received internal injuries.

Mr. and Mrs. Sobbing were returning from the Parnell picnic to their home, on the Evans farm. The team became frightened and ran away, throwing out both occupants of the buggy. Mr. Sobbing received minor injuries.

CONTINUE BRIDGE REPAIRS

County Court Replaces Culverts, Spans and Approach This Week—To Work On.

The improvement of road conditions over the county is still uppermost in the minds and actions of the county court, according to W. M. Blackford, presiding judge of the body. A new concrete culvert, three miles west of the Polk township line, has just been completed under the direction of W. C. McMillen, contractor.

A bridge near the place of George Edwards, in Atchison township, east of Clearmont, also was built, while another across Clear creek, near the John Gray farm, in Atchison township, was completed a few days ago.

A 32-foot approach to the 102 river bridge, east of Pickering, also was put in last week, under direction of Judge Blackford.

Another force of workmen, directed by Joseph Reece, county highway engineer, has been working on bridges and approaches on Long Branch, near Ravenwood, east of the Union school house.

OFFICERS WERE RE-ELECTED.

Christian Church Convention Also Recommended Plans for the Coming Year.

At the convention of the Christian churches of Nodaway county held last week at Gaynor City, plans were made to work along the coming year and among the things recommended and endorsed by the meeting, were: That each church hold an evangelistic meeting during the year; that the work among the young people in the Christian Endeavor and Bible school be promoted and encouraged; that a series of efficiency rallies be held by the county board in the various churches; that a committee of five be chosen to co-operate with President Yokeley of Missouri Christian College of Camden Point, Mo., in finding and providing for the support of a worthy aspirant young lady in the church to be educated in Christian College.

The officers elected for the ensuing year were: President, Rev. Robert L. Finch, Maryville; Vice-President, Rev. J. M. Plummer, Pickering; Secretary, O. G. Null, Pickering; Treasurer, George L. Wilfley, Maryville; County President C. W. B. M., Mrs. Henry Westfall, Maryville; County Superintendent Christian Endeavor, H. J. Becker, Maryville; County Superintendent Bible school work, Ora Lincoln, Burlington Junction.

Bethany church, west of Barnard, was chosen as the place of next year's meeting.

ARE REPAIRING LEE BRIDGE.

Span Northeast of City Was Damaged by recent 102 River Flood.

The Lee bridge, northeast of Maryville, on the 102 river, is being repaired today by a force of men under the direction of J. E. Reece, county highway engineer. The bridge was damaged, but not made impassable recently, when the high waters in the 102 river impaired one of the west piers and caused the approach on this end to go down.

Visiting in Nebraska.

Mrs. Frank Johnson and two sons, living near Orrsburg, left Friday night for a visit in Nebraska with her daughters, Mrs. Fred Humphreys and Mrs. Wagner.

Here from Bedison.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Neal of Bedison came to Maryville Sunday to visit their daughter, Mrs. B. M. Chandler of West Second street.

Dakota Visitors Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Merscher and daughter of Harriett, S. D., who have been visiting with Mr. Merscher's brother, Frank Merscher, and family, living near Maryville, left Saturday for a visit in St. Joseph.

Leases New Residence.

John Airy has leased the new residence built by C. A. McCoppin, at 812 North Walnut street, and will move there this week. At present the Airy family are living in the Beech property, on West Thompson street.

Dr. Braniger Home.

Dr. E. C. Braniger returned Sunday night from a two weeks' visit near Sheridan, Wyo.

PICK BEST HORSES

SHOW WAS CHIEF ATTRACTION OF PARNELL PICNIC SATURDAY.

A CROWD ON FINAL DAY

People From All Over County Attend Closing Events—Will Hold Similar Celebration Next Year.

The Parnell town picnic and three days' celebration closed Saturday night with one of the largest crowds ever gathered in the town attending.

The feature of the Saturday attractions was the horse show. There were no entries made in two classes and the prizes awarded in the five classes judged were as follows:

Best draft team—P. H. Winkler, first; V. V. Force, second; A. J. Root, third.

Best driving team—Alva Clutter, first; Ted Sanders, second; Elias Echtinger, third.

Best suckling colt—John Burns, first.

Best mule team—W. M. Morgan, first, second and third.

Best single driver—Albert Wyckoff, first; Alonzo Willson, second.

OTHER ATTRACTIONS PLENTIFUL.

The ball game between the Parnell and Pickering teams played Saturday afternoon resulted in a score of 7 to 4 for Pickering.

Among the other attractions were two home talent plays given by the Ladies' Aid society & the Methodist church, which drew out good houses and cleared nearly \$80 for the society, a team of equilibrists, a steam swing and a continuous movie performance. The Rosendale band furnished music during the three days.

A similar celebration will probably be held next year at about the same time.

DISTRICT SCHOOL CLOSED.

Board of the "Star of the West," Near Sheridan Decides to Discontinue.

The "Star of the West" district school near Sheridan has been closed for the coming year because the number of pupils was not enough to warrant hiring a teacher.

A special election was held in the district last Thursday to determine whether or not this should be done. The enumeration includes only twelve of school age in the district. Last year but six pupils were entered.

The children attending school this year will be sent to Sheridan and their tuition paid out of the money which should have been used to pay the salary of the teacher.

Arrives from Dakota.

Mrs. Sallie E. Payne of Pierre, S. D., arrived in the city Sunday to visit her sister, Mrs. J. B. Jones, and family.

Eat Fried Chicken September 1; Forget Table Manners, Use Hands

The imperial mandate has been issued by the Missouri Poultry Association that all Missourians may eat all the fried chicken they want Wednesday, September 1.

If there have been any objections to this plan, no doubt evolved in the brain of some epicurean, the objectors have kept their objection strictly sub rosa, and the fattening coops have been working overtime since the edict went forth. Those who had no coops improvised them, and just for the present time there are more proud cockerels and conceited henlets gorging themselves than ever before in Missouri.

There is but one safe and sane receipt for eating fried chicken comfortably and to add to the palatability of this toothsome delicacy, that is, to avoid the safety first plan. Don't be fastidious; relegate all tendency to happy apparel, and if you haven't an old cast off suit, don a pair of bib overalls, the bib can be consistently used for a napkin.

When your portion of the fowl arrives, don't assume a cannibalistic attitude and smack your lips and do not uselessly consume valuable time complimenting your hostess or your wife on the manner in which the dish is cooked, just fall to.

They know that you like fried chicken and that you would eat it regardless of the way it is served; when it is placed in front of you just grab a hunk of it in your hands and after you have bitten off some of the chicken proceed to drag the greasy bone across your "phiz" describing a semi-circle from the right ear to the left, thence

Visiting in Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Adams and sons, living southwest of Wileox, left Friday for Moweaqua, Ill., where they will spend two weeks visiting relatives.

Good high grade Illinois lump or egg coal, well prepared, \$4.50 a ton. Wm. Everhart. 23-25

Quality Eggs Wanted

We will pay the following prices delivered at the Old Creamery Building, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, August 24, 25 and 26.

Clean unwashed No. 1 Fresh Eggs, per dozen 18c

Under grade fit for food, cracked, dirty No. 2 eggs, per dozen 14c

Eggs as they run, reserving the right to candle, per dozen 15c

This is an opportunity for Quality Producers. Fresh Eggs, are eggs gathered daily and marketed while fresh.

FROST & SPEIRS

Maryville Missouri

FARMERS BUILD A BRIDGE.

White Cloud Neighbors Co-Operated in Opening Up Highway to the Southwest.

A 20-foot bent bridge with 8-foot approaches was built last Thursday, six miles southwest of Barnard. They also graded the road leading to the span for a quarter of a mile and dragged one and a quarter miles of roadway.

Those who did the work were: M. A. Gray, W. M. McBride, Frank Ware, Nicholas Hartman, Robert Goff, Chas. Ryther, Neff Ware, Samuel Hayworth, Bradley Raanic, W. W. Aten, Edward Young and Dal Dean.

Miss Mary Lynch Here.

Miss Mary Lynch of Wetmore, Kan., arrived in the city at noon Saturday and will be employed during the winter season as trimmer at the Style Shop.

Wilcox 15 Giants 6.

The Wilcox Whirlwinds, a "kid" baseball team, defeated the Maryville Giants at the Normal grounds Saturday afternoon by the one-sided score of 15 to 6.

The Giants lined up as follows: Loren Egley, p; Joe Kemp, c; Ross Yeaman, 1b; Frank Cook, 2b; Bennett French, 3b; Forrest Woodward, ss; Edward Awt, cf; Jack Childress, lf; and Nathan McManus, rf.

Guests at Farren Home.

Miss Marie Porterfield, who has been visiting in Omaha, Neb., and at places in Iowa, came to Maryville yesterday to visit her sister, Mrs. P. H. Farren, and family.

There are 26 museums of safety and institutes for the study of industrial hygiene in the world, 22 in Europe, three in the United States and one in Canada.

NOTIONS

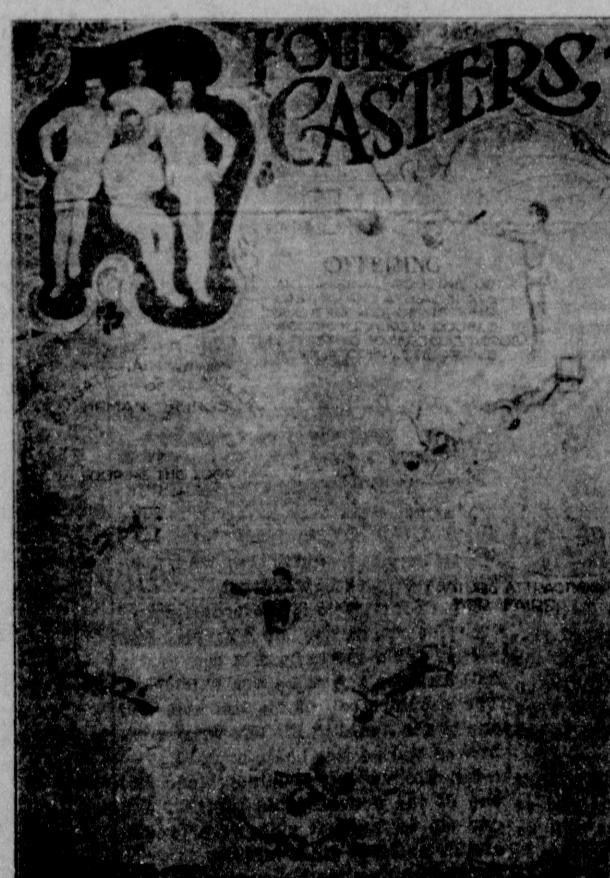
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A Big Feature of a Big Fair with many Features.
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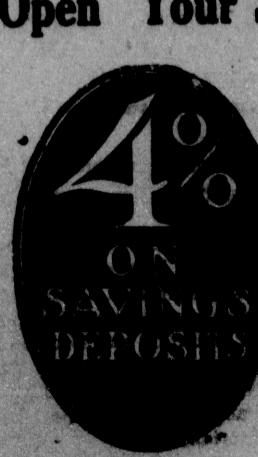
Season Tickets

For The Maryville Fair

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Lay the Foundation of Your Fortune by Opening a Savings Account Today. Deposits of One Dollar and Upwards Received in Our Savings Department.

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SENSATIONAL! DARING!! HAZARDOUS!!! Performing Incredible Feats—Offering An Original Aerial Feat—The Only Act of its Kind, Accomplishing a Double and Triple Somersault in Mid-Air. Late With Barnum & Bailey Circus.

This One Act Is Worth 5 Day's Admission

THE BIG FAIR, MARYVILLE, MISSOURI,
August 30-31 September 1, 2, 3, 4, 1915

SOCIETY and CLUBLAND

By KATE SCHENCK
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Calendar.

The Order of the Eastern Star will hold its regular meeting Tuesday night in Masonic hall.

The N. T. club will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. M. A. Harn, at her home, 1039 North Dewey street.

The Penelope club will hold its usual fortnightly meeting Wednesday afternoon at the J. D. Ford home, on North Buchanan street, with Mrs. Ford hostess.

The Women's Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. D. Ford, on North Buchanan street.

Mrs. A. C. Nicholas will entertain the Women's Home Missionary society of the First Methodist church at her home, on East Third street, Friday afternoon.

Picnic at Horseshoe Lake.

The "Haines bunch" enjoyed a picnic party and al fresco dinner yesterday at Horseshoe Lake, north of the city.

Fishing Party.

A company of friends who spent the day Friday with a fishing and picnic party at the 102 river, was composed of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bainum and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Howard.

Confidence and Persistence

Confidence in the Quality of Our Goods

Persistence in Our Efforts To Please You With Good Service

Has Built for us a very Clever Business. We can handle still more business and will appreciate any order you see fit to give us

For Our Tuesday and Wednesday Sale

WE OFFER

Fancy Cream High Patent Flour, per sack, \$1.65; cwt.....	\$3.25
Seal of Minnesota Spring Wheat Flour, per sack, \$1.80; swt.....	\$3.55
Gold Coin, our finest Short Patent Flour, per sack, \$1.70; cwt.....	\$3.35
Skinner's Macaroni, 1-lb pkgs (10c size), 2 for.....	15c
No. 10 pall Pure Lard for.....	\$1.19
New Mackerel, bright, fat fish, about 1 lb each,.....	10c
Parowax, 15c pkgs, 2 for.....	15c
Sapolio, toilet or kitchen, 10c cakes, 2 for.....	15c
Cow Brand Soda, 10c pkgs, 4 for.....	25c
10c cans Eagle Brand Lye.....	10c
Fancy selected June Peas, 2 cans.....	15c
Uncle Sam's Health Food, 25c pkgs, 25c pkgs Postum for.....	20c
75c pails Axe Grease for.....	45c
Best grade 20c cans Cove Oysters, 3 for.....	50c
45c and 50c pails Karo Syrup, 2 for 75c	
Murdock's Bluing, 15c, 10c and 5c bottles at half price.	
No. 1 Apples, 2 pecks.....	25c
Large Blue California Plums, basket, 2 lbs per crate.....	\$1.15
Libby's Bouillon Cubes, per box.....	10c
Rex Bacon, narrow strips, sugar cured, weight about 7 lbs, per lb.....	17 1/2c
Instant or Pearl Tapioca, 10c pkgs for.....	

\$1.00 per bu.

For Elberta Peaches. These are medium size and in fair condition. Only small quantity to sell—be quick if you want them.

Large Blue Plums or (Prunes) per basket 30c per Crate (4 baskets) \$1.15

TOWNSENDS
FOURTH AND MAIN STS.

and family, and Misses Leola and Bertha Frede of Maryville.

Farrens Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Farrens entertained a party of guests yesterday, the past two weeks, and this week they which included Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Kellogg, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Farrens and Miss Marie Porterfield.

Gooden Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Gooden gave a dinner at noon yesterday, at which they entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lorraine, Mrs. Melissa Casteel, Mrs. John J. Hoffman of Washington, D. C., and Misses Ruby and Annetta Lorane.

Irby-Lockhart.

Miss Margaret Irby of this city and Dillard Lockhart of Wilcox were married at 2:30 Saturday afternoon at the parsonage of the Buchanan Street Methodist church, the Rev. John Hubbard reading the marriage lines. The bridal couple was attended by Miss Hattie Coffin and John Irby. Mr. and Mrs. Lockhart will be at home on a farm near Wilcox.

Clears Good Sum.

A net fund of nearly \$80 was gained at the two entertainments given at the Parnell picnic by the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church of Parnell. The plays entitled "A Modern Sewing Society" and "A Black Trump" were given entirely by Parnell talent, and their rendition was highly praised. The money will be used for the church benefit.

Miss Bentley Entertains.

Miss Nellie Bentley of Ravenwood gave an over-night house party Thursday at her home, entertaining the Sorority club members. Friday the hostess and her guests motored to Parnell and attended the town picnic. Those in the party were Miss Wavie Ralston, Miss Leora Deshazer, Miss Gertrude Conn, Miss Gwendolyn Steiger, Miss Clara Bond, Miss Elsie Harris and Miss Bentley.

Henggeler Entertain.

Miss Agatha Henggeler and Miss Frances Myers of this city spent yesterday at Conception, where they were among the guests at a dinner party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alois Henggeler. The gathering was arranged for the pleasure of the host's uncle, Charles Henggeler, and his cousin, Miss Pauline Henggeler of Payette, Idaho, who are visiting relatives at Conception and Maryville.

Juvenile Club Meets.

The Juvenile Sewing club met Friday afternoon with Iva Mounts, at her home, southeast of the city. The hours were spent with sewing and tatting, followed by the serving of a dainty luncheon. Harry McGinness was a guest of the club. The members present were Dora Belle Carpenter, Roxie McGinness, Ruth Erickson, Edith Russell, and the hostess. The next meeting will be Friday afternoon of next week with Ruth Erickson.

Hall Dinner Party.

Mrs. Thomas Hall, living west of the city, was the hostess of a dinner party given Friday noon, at which plates were laid for Mrs. William White, Mrs. John White, Mrs. S. D. Kennedy, Mrs. M. J. Willhoyte, Mrs. T. M. Trullinger, Mrs. Charles Flinnell, Mrs. E. B. Trullinger, Miss Pauline Dillon of Chicago, Miss Vella Booth of this city, Miss Clydell White, Miss Hattie Hall and the hostess.
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Misses Fisher Entertain.

Misses Cecile and Jessie Fisher entertained a number of friends Friday night at their country home, east of the city, who were invited to meet their house guest, Mrs. C. D. Gore of St. Joseph. Those present were Mrs. Gore, Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Conley and son, Verlin; Miss Clara Stein, Miss Grace Fisher, Miss Esther Neidel, Miss Alma Mahoney, Miss Nellie Fisher, Miss Veronica O'Grady, Lewis Neidel, Roy Schulte, Omar Fisher, Glen Guthrie, Louis Schulte, Harry Fisher, Will Stein, James Fisher, Cleo Mitchell.
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Gives Buffet Supper.

Miss Anna Bainum gave a buffet supper last night as a special courtesy to her house guest, Miss Cyrene Shepard of Columbia, Mo.; James Harkless of Kansas City and John Randolph of St. Joseph. The affair was a Delta Gamma reunion, and the additional guests were Miss Theo Griffith of Chicago, the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Boward; Miss Ruth Montgomery, Miss Dorothy Pierce, Victor Collins of Los Angeles, Cal.; Harry Wilson of Burlington Junction and Frank Schumacher. Miss Bainum's house guests, who arrived Saturday, will remain until tomorrow.
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For Tennessee Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones, living south of the city, gave a dinner yesterday at their home, entertaining in honor of their cousins, Mrs. Ella King and Miss Ferna Archer of Jellico, Tenn., who have been spending the past two weeks with Maryville relatives. The guests were Mrs. King, Miss Archer, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Severs and son of Barnard, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson and son of Pickering, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gray, J. M. Johnson,
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Mrs. John Johnson and daughter, and Miss Lois Johnson of Maryville. The Tennessee visitors have been entertained at the home of their uncle, J. M. Johnson of East First street, during the past two weeks, and this week they will be house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Anna, Vernie, and Gladys Wiseman, Misses Myrtle and Dottie Hughbanks, Miss Edna Davenport, Miss Pauline Thompson, Masters Kenneth and Shelton Thompson and Truman and William Shelton.

Davenport Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davenport gave a dinner yesterday at their country home, west of the city, entertaining in compliment to their sister, Mrs. J. B. Dillon, and her daughter, Miss Pauline Dillon of Chicago, and Mrs. Harriett Davenport of Pawpaw, Mich., who are their house guests. Plates were laid for Mrs. and Miss Dillon, Mrs. Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Logan, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Will White, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shelton, Hiram Logan, Mrs. Lillie Dean Shelton, Miss Clydell White, Miss Edna Davenport, Logan and Wilson Carter, Pauline, Kenneth and Shelton Thompson, Evelyn Logan, Douglas Wells, Truman and William Shelton and the hosts.

Dinner Party at White Farm.

Mrs. D. H. White and Mrs. Rolla White entertained with a dinner party Friday at the White country home, west of Maryville, for the pleasure of Mrs. J. W. Shelton, Mrs. Calvin Hinds and Miss Ethel Hinds of Kansas City, Mrs. John Dillon of Chicago and Mrs. Harriett Davenport of Pawpaw, Mich., who are visiting friends and relatives in that neighborhood. Those present were Mrs. Shelton, Mrs. Dillon, Mrs.

Retail Merchants to Meet.

The annual convention of the Missouri Retail Merchants' association will be held in Macon for three days, beginning tomorrow. Several Maryville merchants may attend. About 250 association members are expected to attend.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Davenport, Mrs. Hinda, Mrs. Earl Booth, Mrs. J. M. Wiseman, Mrs. W. H. Booth, Mrs. Lorace Hughbanks, Mrs. H. E. Thompson, Mrs. Lillie Shelton, Mrs. E. F. Shelton, Miss Ethel Hinda, Misses Anna, Vernie, and Gladys Wiseman, Misses Myrtle and Dottie Hughbanks, Miss Edna Davenport, Miss Pauline Thompson, Masters Kenneth and Shelton Thompson and Truman and William Shelton.

Edith Saddler and Miss Cleoia Shoppell. Mrs. Al Royston of this city, a sister of Mrs. Young, was unable to be present and was the only absent member of the family.

Booster Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Adams of Wilcox gave a dinner party Sunday noon at which plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Duncan, Miss Bernice Duncan, Clinton, Glen and Thomas Adams, and the hosts.
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Birthday Party.

Mr. and Mrs. John Young of Pickering entertained a large party of friends with a picnic dinner Thursday, arranged to celebrate the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Young. A sumptuous dinner was served on the lawn at noon and the afternoon was spent socially. A pretty feature of the merry-making was a compliment bestowed upon Mrs. Young's daughter, Mrs. Charles Kee, a recent bride, who was given a kitchen shower by the company present. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Carmichael and Starr Carmichael of Maryville, Mrs. Glen Proctor and children, Cleo and Maud; Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Carmichael, Mrs. Omar Strong and daughter, Helen, Mrs. C. C. Moon, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Carmichael and sons, Grover and Emmett; Mrs. Oliver Young and daughter, Lucy, of Hopkins; Mrs. Ed Bratcher and children, Venice and Cleo, Mrs. Harve Sadler and daughter, Inez; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Carmichael and son, Donald; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Arnett of Maryville, Mrs. Charles McKee, Miss Nellie Melford, Miss Lenore Plummer, Miss Goldie Carmichael, Misses Josie and
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Mr. and Mrs. Burris Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burris were the hosts of a dinner given Saturday night at which they entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ed Geyer of Graham and Dr. and Mrs. H. S. Rowlett and family. The same party were also guests at a Sunday night tea given by Mr. and Mrs. Burris.
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Ship Cattle to Iowa Fair.

A bunch of sixteen of the best Aberdeen-Angus cattle from the herd of Caldwell & Sons, near Burlington Everhart.
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Junction, are being shipped today to Des Moines, Ia., where they will be exhibited at the Iowa state fair, to be held there this week. Robert Johnson will be in charge of the herd.

Will Make Address Tomorrow.

County School Superintendent Bert Cooper will go to Grant City tomorrow to attend the annual meeting of the Worth county teachers, which will be held tomorrow and Wednesday. Superintendent Cooper will address the Worth teachers on "Efficiency of Teacher and Pupil."

Good high grade Illinois lump or egg coal, well prepared, \$4.50 a ton. Wm. Everhart.

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BOOSTERS DEFEAT MALVERN.

Win Second Game From Iowa Nine Yesterday at Beaver Park.

The Burlington Junction "Boosters" won by a score of 4 to 0 yesterday afternoon from the Malvern, Ia., nine, in a game played at Beaver park near Burlington Junction.
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This is the second victory for the "Boosters" over the Malvern team. The battery for the "Boosters" at yesterday's game was Vaughn and Hagey.

ATTENTION

Booster Announcement

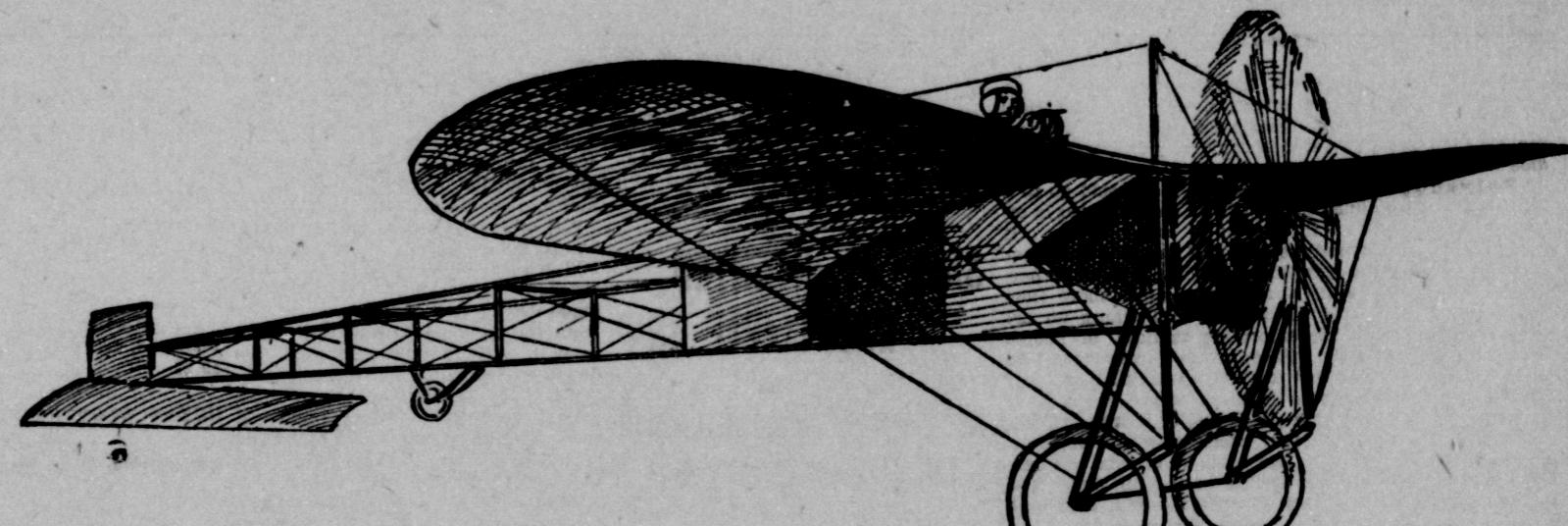
The Specials for Next Wednesday

Pants and Suspenders

Remember that every 25 cents invested in this special means 500 coupons for you or your Booster

Respectfully Yours,

BERNEY HARRIS, The Booster Store



Don't Forget It, Here's One of The Big Features of a Mighty Big Fair

CAPT. J. H. WORDEN, With His Moisant Military Monoplane

The Seige of Liege

The Greatest Aerial Bombardment—Reproducing a real battle in the clouds and the destruction of a Fort! See at Home what occurs in Europe daily. Exciting and instructive. This act is a thriller and highest priced aeroplane attraction before American people.

HERE'S A FEATURE that alone is worth coming many miles to see. For it isn't very often that you get to see an aeronaut like Capt. Worden, the kind who is spectacular and instructive as well. In these days of scientific flying it isn't the aviator who takes the greatest chances that proves the most popular with the spectators.

NOW CAPTAIN WORDEN combines the spectacular with the practical and educational. He thrills you with brilliant flights and reproduces for you scenes like those that are taking place in the great war in Europe every day.

HIS "SEIGE AND FALL OF LIEGE" makes probably the most individual piece of fireworks ever attempted. The fiery attack from the air, the return fire of the guns and the explosion of the Fort—reproduces for you one of the greatest battles of history, the capture of the great Belgian Fort by the Germans.

THE FACT that the big Texas and Oklahoma State Fairs will have Captain Worden to give exhibitions, and after the officials of these fairs had made investigations as to the ability of a number of other well known fliers, ought to be proof enough of what a big feature this is for the Maryville Fair.

AND REMEMBER THIS The Big Maryville Fair isn't depending on one or two features. Something Big Every Day that will make it really worth your time. There's fearless Blondin, the real one ring circus, J. K. Wright, the balloon man, the Four Casters and the Peerless Potters Family. Every one a high class entertainment. Read about them from time to time.

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4 COUNTY TEAMS IN TOURNEY HERE

FEDS, HOPKINS, GUILFORD AND BURLINGTON JUNCTION TO MEET.

OFFER \$350 IN PRIZES TO BE AUGUST 25-26-27

Base Ball Fans May See Two Games Each of 3 Days at Normal Grounds—Strengthen Lineup.

The Maryville Federals, the Burlington Junction Boosters, and the fast base ball teams of Guilford and Hopkins will enter into a six-game base ball tournament at the Normal grounds here Wednesday, according to an announcement of Cleve Funk, manager of the Feds, today. Two games will be played Wednesday, two Thursday and two Friday.

The first game will be started at 3 o'clock each afternoon. Season tickets are now being sold for the tournament. The prizes offered are the same as was given at the Hopkins tournament last week. The first will be \$125, second \$100, third \$75, fourth \$50, so that each team will get a prize.

William McCarty of Stanberry will umpire the games. While the line-up for the Federal team will be changed somewhat from day to day, Manager Funk announced that it would be virtually the same as during the Hopkins tournament, except that another pitcher probably will be added.

Teams Are "Leading Up."

It is reported that Hopkins, Guilford and Burlington Junction are each "loading up" with the express purpose of keeping the Federals out of first place, which they took in the Hopkins tournament.

Lots will be drawn Wednesday to determine which teams shall play each other. On the second day the two winning teams will clash with each other, while the losing teams will play a game. On the final day the teams will meet the team it has not previously played in the tournament.

The Federals were scheduled to play the Clarinda, Ia., team here yesterday afternoon, but on account of the Iowa team being unable to reach here by automobiles, the game was postponed. A fairly large crowd of fans had congregated at the Federal grounds when the announcement was made.

Stanberry will be visited by the Federals next Sunday, when they clash for the fourth time this season with the fast Red Sox. As matters now stand Stanberry has won one and the Federals two of the games, the last by the score of 9 to 0. A large crowd of rooters intend to accompany the team to Stanberry Sunday.

SPEAKS AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Mrs. Crisman McMillen Will Give Nightly Lectures This Week—Addressed Crowds Yesterday.

Mrs. Crisman McMillen, a national temperance worker, who lectured yesterday morning and afternoon at the First Christian church, will give a series of lectures each night this week until and including Friday night, in the First Baptist church.

The lectures will begin at 8 o'clock and no admission will be charged at any time. All of the lectures will be on temperance work and movements.

Mrs. McMillen is a very fluent and versatile speaker and her lectures yesterday were well attended and interestingly heard. Her subjects were "Obedience a Divine Command" and "Temperance from a Biblical Standpoint." They were both highly entertaining and profitable.

The usual midweek prayer service of Wednesday night at the First Christian church will be dismissed because of the lectures.

Mrs. J. W. Shelton, Mrs. Calvin Hinds of Kansas City, who are visiting relatives in Maryville and vicinity, are house guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shelton, living west of the city.

Base Ball Tournament Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

AUGUST 25, 26 AND 27

Normal Ball Park, Maryville, \$350 in Purse

Contesting Teams are: Hopkins, Guilford, Burlington Junction and Maryville.

TWO GAMES EACH AFTERNOON, BEGINNING AT 2 P.M.

Admission 35c

Grandstand 10c

Season Tickets \$1.00

FIGHT NOW NEAR MONTEREY

Villa Renews Hostilities Against Carranza—Fight is Fierce, It is Reported.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, August 23.—It is reported that Villa has renewed hostilities against Carranza. The fighting is reported to be fiercest near Monterey.

SINK A GERMAN DESTROYER

Two French Torpedo Boats Destroy Enemy's Ship While Patrolling Near Ostend.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Paris, Aug. 23.—The Ministry Marine announces that two French torpedo boats while patrolling the Belgian coast near Ostend, encountered and sank a German destroyer. The French boats suffered slight damage.

ARABIC UNARMED; UNWARNED

Ship Which Went Down With 4 Americans Didn't Try Attack or Escape, British Report.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, August 23.—The foreign office announces that the Arabic, which was sunk by a submarine off the south coast of Ireland, causing the loss of four Americans, was not armed and was torpedoed without warning.

It made no effort to attack the submarine nor to escape.

Washington, August 23.—The president today made his first statement relative to the sinking of the Arabic with four Americans, in which he said: "As soon as the facts are ascertained our course of action will be determined."

Tumulty, his private secretary, refused to add anything.

BOMB FIRES HOUSES; 7 HURT

Explosion Destroys Three Buildings in "Little Italy," Kansas City—Three May Die.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, August 23.—A dynamite bomb early this morning destroyed three frame houses in "Little Italy," near Sixth and Harrison streets. Seven occupants of the houses were injured, three seriously.

The force of the explosion was so great that debris was found a block away and window panes were broken three blocks distant. The damage is estimated at \$10,000.

As usual, the police have been unable to find any clues. It is believed that members of the "Black Hand" society did the deed.

AUTO TURNS OVER; 2 HURT

J. A. Cooper and Charles Collins of Parnell Badly Injured Saturday—Machine Goes Into Culvert.

John A. Cooper and Charles Collins of Parnell were both severely injured about 6 o'clock Saturday afternoon when the auto in which they were driving turned over in a culvert.

Mr. Cooper, who is the proprietor of the Cooper garage at Parnell, was pinned under the car and it was nearly half an hour before he was extricated. The shoulder cap of his left arm and one of the bones in his left wrist were broken and he was badly bruised.

Mr. Collins' left shoulder blade and one of the bones of his forearm and one rib on his left side were broken and he suffered other injuries.

The two men were returning from a farm north of Parnell, where they had been installing an engine on a binder. As they drove across the field their car stalled in a mudhole, the jolt breaking the radius rod. They pulled the car out of the mud and started for home, and made the drive all right until they attempted to turn out for an approaching team, and the car turned over into the culvert. Mr. Collins was thrown out of the car while his companion was pinned under it, with the weight resting on him.

Both men were feeling as well as could be expected today, and neither will suffer serious consequences from their injuries.

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2 VOTE ON BONDS

MONROE AND NODAWAY TOWNSHIPS HOLD ELECTIONS TUESDAY.

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WOULD IMPROVE ROADS

One Proposes \$35,000 Special Fund, and Other Seeks \$25,000—Flood Damage Necessitates Money.

The voters of Nodaway and Monroe townships will decide in special election tomorrow whether to issue special bonds for improving the road conditions of the two townships. The proposition in Nodaway township is for \$35,000, while in Monroe it is \$25,000.

The calls for elections were made recently by the county court on petition of a number of voters of those two townships. The real reason for proposing the extra bonds is because of the excessive damage done in the west end of Nodaway county by the heavy rains this summer, and through the fact that the proposition to vote \$30,000 in special bonds throughout Nodaway county fell through.

It is predicted that the proposition will carry in Nodaway township, but as it takes a two-thirds majority for such a proposition to become a reality, there are many who believe it cannot be done. It is admitted by virtually all voters in those two townships, however, that the money is needed. These Will Officiate.

The election judges in Nodaway township will be William Guyette, Joseph Crawford, George Brown and James Corken. The clerks will be William Nicholas, C. E. Walker, Fred Griffey and William Fox.

The election judges in Monroe township were announced as follows: A. L. Oakerson, S. C. Barber and Frank Goslee. The clerks were announced as being A. C. Dodds and Ray Strickler.

HE RAPS FRANK LYNCHERS

The Rev. S. D. Harkness Condemns Brutal Act in South in "The Measure of a Soul."

The brutal and heinous act of the lynchers of Leo Frank in Georgia recently was dwelt upon to considerable extent by the Rev. S. D. Harkness in a sermon on "The Measure of a Soul," from the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church yesterday morning. It was in fact a sermon which, all the way through, brought out the current events of the times and their relation to his topic.

The war in Europe, the attitude of the United States towards it, the mob lynchings of the south, and the modern day idea of things were the topic sources of Mr. Harkness, who delivers his farewell sermon here next Sunday.

BOOSTERS PLAY TOMORROW

Maryville Team Will Meet St. Joseph All-Stars Here—Only Game of the Week.

The Maryville Boosters will play the St. Joseph All-Stars at the Normal grounds here tomorrow afternoon if the ground is in condition. It will be the only game of the week by the Boosters, the scheduled game for Thursday being postponed on account of the tournament to be held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday here.

The game tomorrow will be umpired by Emmett Scott. The game will start at 2 o'clock to allow the visiting team time to catch the southbound afternoon train home.

The Maryville team will probably line up as follows: Richardson, c; Palfreyman, ss; Scott, 3b; Moore, rt; Miller, 2b; Wray, 1b; Still, cf; Vandiersloot, lf; Wakeman, p.

The St. Joseph lineup will be: Reedy, lf; Hooper, cf; Blee, 2b; Watson, 3b; Jennings, ss; Bassing, 1b; Stewart, rt; Slater, cf; Mansfield, p.

Dismiss Divorce Suit

The suit for divorce filed recently in circuit court by Elmer D. Huff against Grace Huff, has been dismissed by Mr. Huff in court vacatio, according to Henry Westfall, clerk.

Take Over Smith Store

Elliott Brothers of Malvern, Ia., arrived in Maryville Saturday and today took over the store formerly operated by Levi Smith, Fifth and Main streets.

BERLIN DROPS MILITIA JOB

So Company F Will Hold Special Election Wednesday Night to Name First Lieutenant.

Another special election to select a first lieutenant for Company F, Fourth Regiment, National Guards of Missouri will be held at the armory at 8 o'clock Wednesday night, according to announcement made today by Captain John K. Ross. Albert Berlin, who was elected to that office last week, has declined the position on account of being unable to attend the annual encampment at Kansas City next month.

The office ranks next to the captaincy of the company and furnishes excellent training in military. Ezra Phipps is being mentioned for the place, but on account of his being now connected with the Fourth Regiment band here, he can not accept the office until after encampment. He was once captain of the militia company here.

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An enterprising citizen of Los Angeles has brought the usefulness of the automobile into new fields. He uses his auto to collect laundry for his wife to wash.

Owing to the inability of our manufacturers to get German dyestuffs our ladies will have to worry along this winter with furs principally of natural colors. There will not be many dyed skins on the market.

The names of Cory Cook and Arthur Robey are said to have appeared in a newspaper dated 1998. We have always suspected that they are older than they look, but were not prepared to believe they were carrying their age so well as that.

The industries of a nation can be turned quickly from peace to war and the manufacturers of munitions may be speeded up, but the allies have found, to their great embarrassment, that the civilian cannot be turned into a soldier without time. This is especially true of officers. To make a practical soldier officer is a matter of education and long training, just as a preparation for professional or business life is. In business men can educate themselves and stand only to lose their money or their prospects, but in war those who fall are not likely to rise again. Skilled officers may direct a body of untutored soldiers to victory, but a body of men, however brave they may be, in the hands of inefficient officers are inviting destruction.

HOW TO DRIVE A CAR—DAWSON.
"In driving an automobile, especially an Overland, put emergency brake on, then put her on "high" and try to climb the upgrades of the Maryville streets, at least that is the way I started."—Extract from "Advice to Amateur Chauffeurs," by John W. Dawson, attorney.

Spends Day at Arkoe.
Mrs. Nettie Warren spent yesterday at Arkoe visiting her mother, Mrs. Nancy Moore.

Daughter at Pyle Home.
Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Pyle are the parents of a daughter born to them Saturday, August 21.

Ice Cream Social**Myrtle Tree Church**

And a play to be given by the Young People

Wednesday Night

Admission 25 and 15c

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THROWN FROM BUGGY; HURT

Mrs. Joseph Sobbing Badly Hurt When Team Runs Away—Husband Also Suffers Injuries.

Mrs. Joseph Sobbing, living south of Parnell, was badly hurt Saturday afternoon, when she was thrown from the buggy in which she was riding and it is feared received internal injuries.

Mr. and Mrs. Sobbing were returning from the Parnell picnic to their home, on the Evans farm. The team became frightened and ran away, throwing out both occupants of the buggy. Mr. Sobbing received minor injuries.

CONTINUE BRIDGE REPAIRS

County Court Replaces Culverts, Spans and Approach This Week

To Work On.

The improvement of road conditions over the county is still uppermost in the minds and actions of the county court, according to W. M. Blackford, presiding judge of the body. A new concrete culvert, three miles west of the Polk township line, has just been completed under the direction of W. C. McMillen, contractor.

A bridge near the place of George Edwards, in Atchison township, east of Clearmont, also was built, while another across Clear creek, near the John Gray farm, in Atchison township, was completed a few days ago.

A 32-foot approach to the 102 river bridge, east of Pickering, also was put in last week, under direction of Judge Blackford.

Another force of workmen, directed by Joseph Reece, county highway engineer, has been working on bridges and approaches on Long Branch, near Ravenwood, east of the Union school house.

OFFICERS WERE RE-ELECTED.

Christian Church Convention Also Recommended Plans for the Coming Year.

At the convention of the Christian churches of Nodaway county held last week at Gaynor City, plans were made to work along the coming year and among the things recommended and endorsed by the meeting, were: That each church hold an evangelistic meeting during the year; that the work among the young people in the Christian Endeavor and Bible school be promoted and encouraged; that a series of efficiency rallies be held by the county board in the various churches; that a committee of five be chosen to co-operate with President Yokeley of Missouri Christian College of Camden Point, Mo., in finding and providing for the support of a worthy aspirant young lady in the church to be educated in Christian College.

The officers elected for the ensuing year were: President, Rev. Robert L. Finch, Maryville; Vice President, Rev. J. M. Plummer, Pickering; Secretary, O. G. Null, Pickering; Treasurer, George L. Wilfley, Maryville; County President C. W. B. M., Mrs. Henry Westfall, Maryville; County Superintendent Christian Endeavor, H. J. Becker, Maryville; County Superintendent Bible school work, Ora Lincoln, Burlington Junction.

Bethany church, west of Barnard, was chosen as the place of next year's meeting.

ARE REPAIRING LEE BRIDGE.

Span Northeast of City Was Damaged by recent 102 River Flood.

The Lee bridge, northeast of Maryville, on the 102 river, is being repaired today by a force of men under the direction of J. E. Reece, county highway engineer. The bridge was damaged, but not made impassable recently, when the high waters in the 102 river impaired one of the west piers and caused the approach on this end to go down.

Visiting in Nebraska.

Mrs. Frank Johnson and two sons, living near Orrsburg, left Friday night for a visit in Nebraska with her daughters, Mrs. Fred Humphreys and Mrs. Wagner.

Here from Bedison.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Neal of Bedison came to Maryville Sunday to visit their daughter, Mrs. B. M. Chandler of West Second street.

Dakota Visitors Leave.
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Merscher and daughter of Harriett, S. D., who have been visiting with Mr. Merscher's brother, Frank Merscher, and family, living near Maryville, left Saturday for a visit in St. Joseph.

Leases New Residence.
John Alry has leased the new residence built by C. A. McCoppin, at 312 North Walnut street, and will move there this week. At present the Alry family are living in the Beech property, on West Thompson street.

Dr. Braniger Home.
Dr. E. C. Braniger returned Sunday night from a two weeks' visit near Sheridan, Wyo.

PICK BEST HORSES

SHOW WAS CHIEF ATTRACTION OF PARNELL PICNIC SATURDAY.

A CROWD ON FINAL DAY

People From All Over County Attend Closing Events—Will Hold Similar Celebration Next Year.

The Parnell town picnic and three days' celebration closed Saturday night with one of the largest crowds ever gathered in the town attending.

The feature of the Saturday attractions was the horse show. There were no entries made in two classes and the prizes awarded in the five classes judged were as follows:

Best draft team—P. H. Winkler, first; V. V. Force, second; A. J. Roof, third.

Best driving team—Alva Clutter, first; Ted Sanders, second; Elias Echtinger, third.

Best sucking colt—John Burns, first.

Best mule team—W. M. Morgan, first, second and third.

Best single driver—Albert Wyckoff, first; Alonzo Willson, second.

Other Attractions Plentiful.

The ball game between the Parnell and Pickering teams played Saturday afternoon resulted in a score of 7 to 4 for Pickering.

Among the other attractions were two home talent plays given by the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church, which drew out good houses and cleared nearly \$80 for the society, a team of equilibrists, a steam swing, and a continuous movie performance. The Rosedale band furnished music during the three days.

A similar celebration will probably be held next year at about the same time.

DISTRICT SCHOOL CLOSED.

Board of the "Star of the West," Near Sheridan Decides to Discontinue.

The "Star of the West" district school near Sheridan has been closed for the coming year because the number of pupils was not enough to warrant hiring a teacher.

A special election was held in the district last Thursday to determine whether or not this should be done.

The enumeration includes only twelve school age in the district. Last year but six pupils were entered.

The children attending school this year will be sent to Sheridan and their tuition paid out of the money which should have been used to pay the salary of the teacher.

Arrives from Dakota.

Mrs. Salie E. Payne of Pierre, S. D., arrived in the city Sunday to visit her sister, Mrs. J. B. Jones, and family.

FROST & SPEIRS**Eat Fried Chicken September 1;
Forget Table Manners, Use Hands**

The imperial mandate has been issued by the Missouri Poultry Association that all Missourians may eat all the fried chicken they want Wednesday, September 1.

If there have been any objections to this plan, no doubt evolved in the brain of some epicurean, the objectors have kept their objection strictly sub rosa, and the fattening coops have been working overtime since the edict went forth. Those who had no coops improvised them, and just for the present time there are more proud cockerels and conceited henlets gorging themselves than ever before in Missouri.

There is but one safe and sane receipt for eating fried chicken comfortably and to add to the palatableness of this toothsome delicacy, that is, to eat the safety first plan. Don't be fastidious; relegate all tendency to happy apparel, and if you haven't an old cast off suit, don a pair of bib overalls, the bib can be consistently used for a napkin.

When your portion of the fowl arrives, don't assume a cannibalistic attitude and smack your lips and do not uselessly consume valuable time complimenting your hostess or your wife on the manner in which the dish is cooked, just fall to.

They know that you like fried chicken and that you would eat it regardless of the way it is served; when it is placed in front of you just grab a hunk of it in your hands and after you have bitten off some of the chicken proceed to drag the greasy bone across your "phiz" describing a semi-circle from the right ear to the left, thence

Visiting in Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Adams and sons, living southwest of Wileox, left Friday for Moweaqua, Ill., where they will spend two weeks visiting relatives.

Good high grade Illinois lump or egg coal, well prepared, \$4.50 a ton. Wm. Everhart.

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Quality Eggs Wanted

We will pay the following prices delivered at the Old Creamery Building, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, August 24, 25 and 26.

Clean unwashed No. 1 Fresh Eggs, per dozen.....18c

Under grade fit for food, cracked, dirty No. 2 eggs, per dozen 14c

Eggs as they run, reserving the right to candle, per dozen.....15c

This is an opportunity for Quality Producers. Fresh Eggs, are eggs gathered daily and marketed while fresh.

MARYVILLE**Missouri****FARMERS BUILD A BRIDGE.**

White Cloud Neighbors Co-Operated in Opening Up Highway to the Southwest.

A 20-foot bent bridge with 8-foot approaches was built last Thursday, six miles southwest of Barnard. They also graded the road leading to the span for a quarter of a mile and dragged one and a quarter miles of roadway.

Those who did the work were: M. A. Gray, W. M. McBride, Frank Ware, Nicholas Hartman, Robert Goff, Chas. Ryther, Neff Ware, Samuel Hayworth, Bradley Rasmic, W. W. Aten, Edward Young and Dal Dean.

Miss Mary Lynch Here.

Miss Mary Lynch of Wetmore, Kan., arrived in the city at noon Saturday and will be employed during the winter season as trimmer at the Style Shop.

Wilcox 15 Giants 6.

The Wilcox Whirlwinds, a "kid" base ball team, defeated the Maryville Giants at the Normal grounds Saturday afternoon by the one-sided score of 15 to 6.

The Giants lined up as follows: Loren Egley, p; Joe Kemp, c; Ross Yeaman, 1b; Frank Cook, 2b; Bennett French, 3b; Forrest Woodward, ss; Edward Awalt, cf; Jack Childress, lf; and Nathan McManus, rf.

Guests at Farren Home.

Miss Marie Porterfield, who has been visiting in Omaha, Neb., and at places in Iowa, came to Maryville yesterday to visit her sister, Mrs. P. H. Farrens, and family.

There are 26 museums of safety and institutes for the study of industrial hygiene in the world, 22 in Europe, three in the United States and one in Canada.

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AND SAVE BIG MONEY**

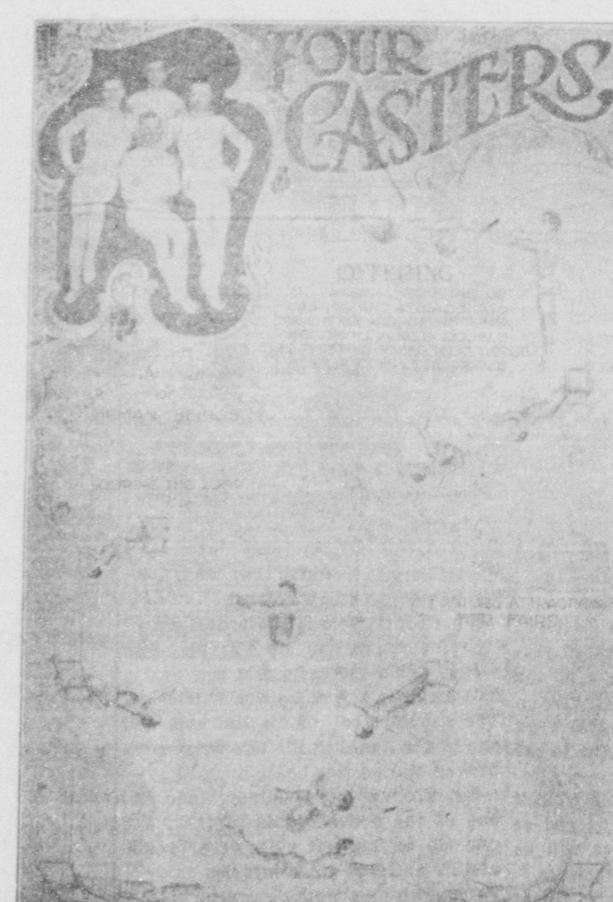
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Calendar.

The Order of the Eastern Star will hold its regular meeting Tuesday night in Masonic hall.

The N. T. club will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. M. A. Harn, at her home, 1039 North Dewey street.

The Penelope club will hold its usual fortnightly meeting Wednesday afternoon at the J. D. Ford home, on North Buchanan street, with Mrs. Ford hostess.

The Women's Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. D. Ford, on North Buchanan street.

Mrs. A. C. Nicholas will entertain the Women's Home Missionary society of the First Methodist church at her home, on East Third street, Friday afternoon.

Picnic at Horseshoe Lake.
The "Haines bunch" enjoyed a picnic party at the 102 river, was composed of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bainum and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Howard

and family, and Misses Leola and Bertha Frede of Maryville.

Farrens Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Farrens entertained a party of guests yesterday, which included Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Kellogg, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Farrens and Miss Marie Porterfield.

Gooden Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Gooden gave a dinner at noon yesterday, at which they entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lorance, Mrs. Melissa Casteel, Mrs. John J. Hoffman of Washington, D. C., and Misses Ruby and Annetta Lorance.

Irby-Lockhart.

Miss Margaret Irby of this city and Dillard Lockhart of Wilcox were married at 2:30 Saturday afternoon at the parsonage of the Buchanan Street Methodist church, the Rev. John Hubbard reading the marriage lines. The bridal couple was attended by Miss Hattie Coffin and John Irby. Mr. and Mrs. Lockhart will be at home on a farm near Wilcox.

Clears Good Sum.

A net fund of nearly \$80 was gained at the two entertainments given at the Parnell picnic by the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church of Parnell. The plays entitled "A Modern Sewing Society" and "A Black Trump" were given entirely by Parnell talent, and their rendition was highly praised. The money will be used for the church benefit.

Miss Bentley Entertains.

Miss Nellie Bentley of Ravenwood gave an over-night house party Thursday at her home, entertaining the Sorority club members. Friday the hostess and her guests motored to Parnell and attended the town picnic. Those in the party were Miss Wavie Ralston, Miss Leora Deshazer, Miss Gertrude Conn, Miss Gwendolyn Steiger, Miss Clara Bond, Miss Elsie Harris and Miss Bentley.

Henggeler Entertain.

Miss Agatha Henggeler and Miss Frances Myers of this city spent yesterday at Conception, where they were among the guests at a dinner party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alois Henggeler. The gathering was arranged for the pleasure of the host's uncle, Charles Henggeler, and his cousin, Miss Pauline Henggeler of Payette, Idaho, who are visiting relatives at Conception and Maryville.

Juvenile Club Meets.

The Juvenile Sewing club met Friday afternoon with Iva Mounts, at her home, southeast of the city. The hours were spent with sewing and tatting, followed by the serving of a dainty luncheon. Harry McGinness was a guest of the club. The members present were Dorie Belle Carpenter, Roxie McGinness, Ruth Erickson, Edith Russell, and the hostess. The next meeting will be Friday afternoon of next week with Ruth Erickson.

Hall Dinner Party.

Mrs. Thomas Hall, living west of the city, was the hostess of a dinner party given Friday noon, at which plates were laid for Mrs. William White, Mrs. John White, Mrs. S. D. Kennedy, Mrs. M. J. Willhoyte, Mrs. T. M. Trullinger, Mrs. Charles Finnell, Mrs. E. B. Trullinger, Miss Pauline Dillon of Chicago, Miss Vella Booth of this city, Miss Clydell White, Miss Hattie Hall and the hostess.

Misses Fisher Entertain.

Misses Cecile and Jessie Fisher entertained a number of friends Friday night at their country home, east of the city, who were invited to meet their house guest, Mrs. C. D. Gore of St. Joseph. Those present were Mrs. Gore, Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Conley and son, Verlin; Miss Clara Stein, Miss Grace Fisher, Miss Esther Neidel, Miss Alma Mahoney, Miss Nellie Fisher, Miss Veronica O'Grady, Lewis Neidel, Roy Schulte, Omar Fisher, Glen Guthrie, Louis Schulte, Harry Fisher, Will Stein, James Fisher, Cleo Mitchell.

Gives Buffet Supper.

Miss Anna Bainum gave a buffet supper last night as a special courtesy to her house guest, Miss Cyrene Shepard of Columbia, Mo.; James Harkless of Kansas City and John Randolph of St. Joseph. The affair was a Delta Gamma reunion, and the additional guests were Miss Theo Griffith of Chicago, the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Bovard; Miss Ruth Montgomery, Miss Dorothy Pierce, Victor Collins of Los Angeles, Cal.; Harry Wilson of Burlington Junction and Frank Schumacher. Miss Bainum's house guests, who arrived Saturday, will remain until tomorrow.

For Tennessee Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones, living south of the city, gave a dinner yesterday at their home, entertaining in honor of their cousins, Mrs. Ella King and Miss Perna Archer of Jellico, Tenn., who have been spending the past two weeks with Maryville relatives. The guests were Mrs. King, Miss Archer, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Severs and son of Barnard, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson and son of Pickering, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gray, J. M. Johnson

Mrs. John Johnson and daughter, and Miss Lois Johnson of Maryville. The Tennessee visitors have been entertained at the home of their uncle, J. M. Johnson of East First street, during the past two weeks, and this week they will be house guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gray of West Fourth street.

Davenport Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davenport gave a dinner yesterday at their country home, west of the city, entertaining in compliment to their sister, Mrs. J. B. Dillon, and her daughter, Miss Pauline Dillon of Chicago, and Mrs. Harrriet Davenport of Pawpaw, Mich., who are their house guests. Plates were laid for Mrs. and Miss Dillon, Mrs. Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Logan, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Will White, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shelton, Hiram Logan, Mrs. Lillie Dean Shelton, Miss Clydell White, Miss Edna Davenport, Logan and Wilson Carter, Pauline, Kenneth and Shelton Thompson, Evelyn Logan, Douglas Wells, Truman and William Shelton and the hosts.

Dinner Party at White Farm.

Mrs. D. H. White and Mrs. Rolla White entertained with a dinner party Friday at the White country home, west of Maryville, for the pleasure of Mrs. J. W. Shelton, Mrs. Calvin Hinds and Miss Ethel Hinds of Kansas City, Mrs. John Dillon of Chicago and Mrs. Harrriet Davenport of Pawpaw, Mich., who are visiting friends and relatives in that neighborhood. Those present were Mrs. Shelton, Mrs. Dillon, Mrs. Clydell White, Miss Hattie Hall and the hostess.

Davenport, Mrs. Hinds, Mrs. Earl Booth, Mrs. J. M. Wiseman, Mrs. W. H. Booth, Mrs. Lorace Hughbanks, Mrs. H. E. Thompson, Mrs. Lillie Shelton, Mrs. E. F. Shelton, Miss Ethel Hinds, Misses Anna, Vernie and Gladys Wiseman, Misses Myrtle and Dolly Hughbanks, Miss Edna Davenport, Miss Pauline Thompson, Masters Kenneth and Shelton Thompson and Truman and William Shelton.

Edith Saddler and Miss Cleo Shopbell, Mrs. Al Royston of this city, a sister of Mrs. Young, was unable to be present and was the only absent member of the family.

Adams Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Adams of Wilcox gave a dinner party Sunday noon at which plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Duncan, Miss Bernice Duncan, Clinton, Glen and Thomas Adams, and the hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. Burris Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burris were the hosts of a dinner given Saturday night at which they entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Geyer of Graham and Dr. and Mrs. H. S. Rowlett and family. The same party were also guests at a Sunday night tea given by Mr. and Mrs. Burris.

Mr. and Mrs. Shanks Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Shanks were the hosts of a dinner party given at noon yesterday at their home. Those who enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Shanks were Mrs. J. P. Fraze, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Froman, Miss Rosella Froman, Chester Fraze and Forrest Froman.

Retail Merchants to Meet.

The annual convention of the Missouri Retail Merchants' association will be held in Macon for three days, beginning tomorrow. Several Maryville merchants may attend. About 250 association members are expected to attend.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

BOOSTERS DEFEAT MALVERN.

Win Second Game From Iowa Nine
Yesterday at Beaver Park.

The Burlington Junction "Boosters" won by a score of 4 to 0 yesterday afternoon from the Malvern, Ia., nine, in a game played at Beaver Park near Burlington Junction.

This is the second victory for the "Boosters" over the Malvern team. The battery for the "Boosters" at yesterday's game was Vaughn and Hagey.

Ship Cattle to Iowa Fair.

A bunch of sixteen of the best Aberdeen-Angus cattle from the herd of Caldwell & Sons, near Burlington.

Junction, are being shipped today to Des Moines, Ia., where they will be exhibited at the Iowa state fair, to be held there this week. Robert Johnson will be in charge of the herd.

Will Make Address Tomorrow.

County School Superintendent Bert Cooper will go to Grant City tomorrow to attend the annual meeting of the Worth county teachers, which will be held tomorrow and Wednesday.

Superintendent Cooper will address the Worth teachers on "Efficiency of Teacher and Pupil."

Good high grade Illinois lump or egg coal, well prepared, \$4.50 a ton. Wm. Everhart.

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ATTENTION

Booster Announcement

The Specials for Next Wednesday

August 25 will be

Pants and Suspenders

Remember that every 25 cents invested in this special means 500 coupons for you or your Booster

Respectfully Yours,

BERNEY HARRIS, The Booster Store

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Confidence in the Quality of Our Goods

Persistence in Our Efforts To Please You With Good Service

Has Built for us a very Clever Business. We can handle still more business and will appreciate any order you see fit to give us

For Our Tuesday and Wednesday Sale

WE OFFER

Fancy Cream High Patent Flour, per sack, \$1.65; cwt.	\$8.25
Seal of Minnesota Spring Wheat Flour, per sack, \$1.80; cwt.	\$8.55
Gold Coin, our finest Short Patent Flour, per sack, \$1.70; cwt.	\$8.35
Skinner's Macaroni, 1-lb pkgs (16c size), 2 for	15c
No. 10 pall Pure Lard for....	\$1.19
New Mackerel, bright, fat fish, about 1 lb each,	10c
Parowax, 15c pkgs, 2 for	15c
Sapolio, toilet or kitchen, 10c cakes, 2 for	15c
Cow Brand Soda, 10c pkgs, 4 for	25c
10c cans Eagle Brand Lye....	5c
Fancy selected June Peas, 2 cans, 15c	
Uncle Sam's Health Food, 25c pkgs, 20c	
25c pkgs Postum for....	20c
75c pails Axe Grease for....	45c
Best grade 20c cans Cove Oysters, 3 for	50c
45c and 50c pails Karo Syrup, 2 for 75c	
Murdock's Bluing, 15c, 10c and 5c bottles, 2 pails, 1/2 price,	
No. 1 Apples, 2 pcks....	25c
Large Blue California Plums, basket, 30c; per crate.....	\$1.15
Libby's Bouillon Cubes, per box, 19c	
Red Bacon, narrow strips, sugar cured, weight about 7 lbs, per lb....	17 1/2c
Instant or Pearl Taploca, 10c pkgs for	8c

\$1.00 per bu.

For Elberta Peaches. These are medium size and in fair condition. Only small quantity to sell—be quick if you want them.

Large Blue Plums or (Prunes) per basket 30c per Crate (4 baskets) \$1.15



Don't Forget It, Here's One of The Big Features of a Mighty Big Fair

CAPT. J. H. WORDEN, With His Moisant Military Monoplane

The Seige of Liege

The Greatest Aerial Bombardment—Reproducing a real battle in the clouds and the destruction of a Fort! See at Home what occurs in Europe daily. Exciting and instructive. This act is a thriller and highest priced aeroplane attraction before American people.

HERE'S A FEATURE that alone is worth coming many miles to see. For it isn't very often that you get to see an aeronaut like Capt. Worden, the kind who is spectacular and instructive as well. In these days of scientific flying it isn't the aviator who takes the greatest chances that proves the most popular with the spectators.

NOW CAPTAIN WORDEN combines the spectacular with the practical and educational. He thrills you with brilliant flights and reproduces for you scenes like those that are taking place in the great war in Europe every day.

HIS "SEIGE AND FALL OF LIEGE" makes probably the most individual piece of fireworks ever attempted. The fiery attack from the air, the return fire of the guns and the explosion of the Fort—reproduces for you one of the greatest battles of history, the capture of the great Belgian Fort by the Germans.

THE FACT that the big Texas and Oklahoma State Fairs will have Captain Worden to give exhibitions, and after the officials of these fairs had made investigations as to the ability of a number of other well known fliers, ought to be proof enough of what a big feature this is for the Maryville Fair.

AND REMEMBER THIS The Big Maryville Fair isn't depending on one or two features. Something Big Every Day that will make it really worth your time. There's fearless Blondin, the real one ring circus, J. K. Wright, the balloon man, the Four Casters and the Peerless Potters Family. Every one a high class entertainment. Read about them from time to time.

AUGUST 30-31 SEPTEMBER 1, 2, 3, 4, 1915

TOWNSENDS
FOURTH AND MAIN STS

Youngest Leading Lady in World Tells of Her Experiences in Support of Selig Movie Stars



"You See? He Does Not Love You!"



By GRACE DARMOND.
My home is in Chicago. One day about two years ago I walked into the Chicago studios of the Selig Polyscope company. The studios are not so very far away from my parents' home. Maybe that was the reason I walked into them. The superintendent of the studios needed 'extra people.' I had visited the studios in curiosity; I remained to take part in a *serial feature* film. That was the beginning of my motion picture career. One must photograph well in order to attain any degree of success in motion picture work. I was told that I photographed well. My profile is clear and my features are adaptable to the animated screen. I was asked to take other minor parts. I liked the work—there is a fascination about it—and I accepted.

That was about two years ago. Today I have the honor of being assigned to many important roles in Selig Red Seal plays. I have assumed leading feminine parts in "A Texas Steer," "The Millionaire Baby," "The House of a Thousand Candles," "A Black Sheep," and other productions which have won further fame for the Selig company.

I have been asked the reason for my rapid success in a difficult profession. The only answer that I can give is 'hard work.' There were other incidents that also contributed to my success. One of the most important is that Col. William N. Selig, president of the company which bears his name, gives everyone a fair opportunity. He appreciates close attention to work and loyalty on the part of his employees. I was fortunate enough to please him and the directors and was assigned to more important roles as time passed, and I gave my entire time and thought to them.

Perhaps there is another qualification connected with my promotion that should be mentioned here. I had had stage experience. I appeared in the spoken drama when five years of age, taking the title role of Editha's Burglar. Later I appeared in stock companies. This experience in the art of acting was certainly of untold benefit to me.

I have been told that I am the youngest leading woman in motion pictures. Maybe I am, but I have earned the parts I play. Working in motion pictures is not pastime—it is hard work. In motion pictures, as elsewhere, work counts.

Long hours fall to those who engage in motion picture acting. They report at a studio at a certain hour in the morning. They do not leave until a certain hour. Their day's work is just like a day's work in any other occupation in life. In warm weather the sun beats through the glass enclosure of the studio and the thermometer sometimes registers 150 degrees. Perhaps in this warm atmosphere one must be compelled to appear as a character heavily bundled in clothing, and you can imagine one's discomfiture.

There are many recompenses, also, and I think, on the whole, that the work is ever so much more enjoyable than the speaking stage. Girls who wish to enter motion pictures, however, should pause and think over the fact that they are embarking on a

LETTERS CLOG POSTOFFICE.

Lonely Girl Who Wrote Egg Message Fails to Call For 200 Proposals.

Stroudsburg, Pa.—Unless Sadie S. Smith, the lonely girl, calls for the 200 or more letters awaiting her at the Stroudsburg postoffice Postmaster John M. Decker will make application for enlargement of the office.

Sadie is the girl who wrote a message on an egg stating that she was lonely on the farm and then placed it with the other eggs which were being prepared for shipment. This particular egg fell into the hands of Guy Hanby, a clerk in a grocery store at Wilmington, Del., and immediately Guy's heart yearned for lonely Sadie. So did the hearts of others, else there would not now be 200 letters waiting for her at the local office.

A local paper has started the search for Sadie, the Monroe county lonely farm girl. The paper says: "Have a heart, Sadie. Never start anything you can't finish. Get your letters, but have a care about that nice fellow. He may not be near as nice as some young man in your own neighborhood who will make you happier and more contented than life without friends in a great city. Ponder well, Sadie, before you leap."

LEANS FROM CAR; SAVES GIRL.

Motorman Effects Heroic Rescue of Child Walking Between Tracks.

New York.—The presence of mind and courage of James Lavelle, a motorman on one of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Bath Beach trains, saved the life of an unidentified little girl, four years old, who mistook the space between the rails of the West End line for a promenade and left the sidewalk to walk there.

Lavelle was taking his train from Coney Island, loaded with women and children, when near Forty-first street, on New Utrecht avenue, he saw the child about forty feet ahead. The train at this spot runs on the surface of the street. Lavelle blew his whistle, but the child apparently did not hear. He jammed on the emergency brakes and then, realizing that he could not stop in time, ran to the front platform and, reaching forward, caught hold of the little girl. He dropped her to one side. She escaped with only a few slight bruises.

SAYS HE INVENTED UNSINKABLE SHIP

But Pittsburgh Man Refuses to Tell of What It Is Made.

Pittsburgh.—A battleship that "cannot be sunk" has been invented by a Pittsburgh man whose identity is kept secret by his attorney, John C. Thompson. The material out of which the "unsinkable" ship is to be manufactured is also a secret. Plans and specifications have been placed in the hands of the secretary of the navy, according to Mr. Thompson.

Mr. Thompson says his client has received a letter from Secretary Daniels stating that as soon as the new advisory board of inventors and scientists is organized the invention will be placed before it.

It is stated that the inventor depends almost exclusively on the interior construction of the ship for his results. Several changes in the operation of passenger trains on the Chicago Great Western were made effective yesterday. Southbound train No. 1 will be operated about twenty minutes earlier than heretofore, while southbound train No. 5 will be operated about twenty minutes later than heretofore.

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